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TAGS: OVIP: (KISSINGER, HENRY A.)

SUBJ: SECRETARY KISSINGER'S ARRIVAL STATEMENT AT GENEVA, FEB 16, 1975

1. TRANSCRIPT OF SUBJECT STATEMENT FOLLOWS:

QUOTE: I WOULD LIKE TO EXPRESS MY PLEASURE AT BEING IN GENEVA TO REVIEW WITH FOREIGN MINISTER GROMYKO THE STATE OF US-SOVIET RELATIONS AND ALSO THE SITUATION IN THE MIDDLE EAST. I AGREE WITH FOREIGN MINISTER GROMYKO THAT THE STATE OF UNITED STATES-SOVIET RELATIONS IS OF GREAT IMPORTANCE TO THE PEACE OF THE WORLD, AND THEREFORE THE US ATTACHES CONSIDERABLE IMPORTANCE TO THE RELAXATION OF TENSIONS BETWEEN THE SOVIET UNION AND THE UNITED STATES AND WILL CONTINUE TO PURSUE THIS POLICY WITH ENERGY AND CONVICTION. THE SOVIET FOREIGN MINISTER AND I WILL REVIEW THE WHOLE RANGE OF SOVIET-AMERICAN RELATIONSHIPS AND WILL OF COURSE PAY ATTENTION TO THE MIDDLE EAST, TO WHICH BOTH OF US HAVE PAID VISITS IN RECENT WEEKS, AND WE WILL NO DOUBT EXCHANGE IMPRESSIONS. THANK YOU VERY MUCH. UNQUOTE. KISSINGER

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